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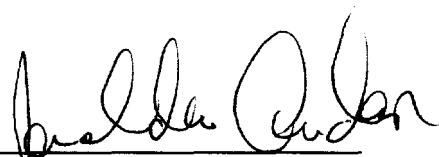
Ms. Magalie R. Salas, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Portals II, TW-A325, 445 Twelfth Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Petition for Rule Making
Benavides, Texas

Dear Ms. Salas:

Enclosed is an original and four (4) copies of a Petition for Rule Making for Benavides, Texas.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of)
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Amendment of 73.202 (b))
Table of Allotments)
FM Broadcast Stations)
(Benavides, TX))

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To: John Karousos, Chief
Allocations Branch
Mass Media Bureau

PETITION FOR RULE MAKING

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. 1.401, Jeraldine Anderson respectfully petitions the FCC to institute a Rule Making proceeding to amend the FM Table of Allotments to add Channel 282A at Benavides, Texas.

DISCUSSION

Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 282A to Benavides, Texas, as that community's first competing commercial FM service. Benavides is an incorporated city with a population of 1,918 people as of January 1, 1998 according to the Texas State Data Center. As of March 1999, 54 business establishments in Benavides had been given a credit rating by Dun & Bradstreet. Benavides has its own mayor, Cynthia Carales, its own post office, its own school system, its own fire department and a number of local churches.

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Attached hereto is a channel study confirming that Channel 282A can be allocated to Benavides, Texas consistent with the FCC's FM separation rules. See revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures, 90 FCC 2d 88 (1992).

Reference coordinates are:

27 34 58 N
98 26 30 W

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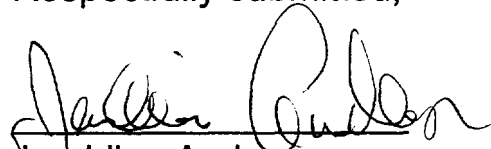
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Should this petition be granted, and Channel 282A be allotted to Benavides, Texas Petitioner will apply for Channel 282A, and after it is authorized, will promptly construct the new facility.

The information provided in this Petition for Rule Making is correct and true to the best of my knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,



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MAPFM search of channel 282A6 (104.3 MHz), at N. 27 34 58, W. 98 26 30.

Searching Channel 282A6 (104.3 MHz):

CALL	CITY	ST	CHN	CL	S	DIST	SEPN	BRNG	CLEARANCE
KOUL	SINTON	TX	279	C1	U	111.0	75.0	63.2°	36.0
KOUL	SINTON	TX	279	C1	L	111.0	75.0	63.2°	36.0
NEW	ALICE	TX	280	A	A	43.1	31.0	63.8°	12.1
ALC	PEARSALL	TX	281	C1	A	134.8	133.0	343.3°	1.8
940207	GEORGE WEST	TX	281	A	U	89.3	72.0	21.1°	17.3
960926	PEARSALL	TX	281	C1	A	134.9	133.0	343.3°	1.9
KBFM	EDINBURG	TX	281	C	U	174.9	165.0	159.9°	9.9
KBFM	EDINBURG	TX	281	C	L	174.9	165.0	159.9°	9.9
ALC	NUEVO LAREDO	TA	283	A		104.8	68.0	265.0°	36.8
881027	GREGORY	TX	283	C3	U	124.6	89.0	75.4°	35.6
KPUS	GREGORY	TX	283	C3	L	124.6	89.0	75.4°	35.6
ALC	ROBSTOWN	TX	285	C2	V	63.1	55.0	51.8°	8.1
KMIQ	ROBSTOWN	TX	285	C2	C	63.1	55.0	51.8°	8.1

Benavides Texas CH. 282A 3.16mv

